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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/824,853

Confirmation No. : 9972

Applicants: Simon Jacobs and Guy Druce

Filed : April 2, 2001

Attorney Docket No.: 500744.02 (29774/US/1)

Art Unit : 3623

Customer No. : 27,076

Examiner : Scott L. Jarrett

Title

: ASSIGNING CUSTOMER ORDERS TO SCHEDULE OPENINGS UTILIZING

**OVERLAPPING TIME WINDOWS** 

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request continued examination, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of the above-identified application.

## 1. Submission Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. 🔲	i. Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F <sub>2</sub> R <sub>7</sub> S <sub>1180</sub> 116 previously filed of		ion previously submitted #5/16/2007 TRESHOUL GROUPES RESERVED
	i.		Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. 8 1.116 previously filed on 53
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	ii.		Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed
			on
	iii.		Consider the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) previously filed on

- b. [X] Submission enclosed
  - i. [X] Amendment/Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

  - iii. I Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- 2. Suspension of Action (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
  - Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_ months.
- 3. Accompanying Papers
  - [X] Postcard
  - [X] Check
  - [X] Fee Transmittal Sheet
  - Petition
- 4. Deposit Account
  - [X] The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1266.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: |

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